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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Mazurek et al.

Serial No.: 10/767,414

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For: SYRUPS CONTAINING SORBITOL,
A PLASTICIZING AGENT AND
HYDROGENATED STARCH
HYDROLYZATE, AND THEIR USE IN
CHEWING GUM AND OTHER
CONFECTIONARIES

Examiner: Arthur Corbin

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, it is respectfully requested that this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the documents listed below and on the attached Form PTO-1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of record.

The references now cited are the following:

U.S. Patent Documents

No.	Date	Name
5,637,334	06/10/97	Yatka et al.

Foreign Patent Document

No.	Date	Country
WO 95/08924	04/06/95	PCT

This Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being filed prior to the receipt of the first Official Action reflecting an examination on the merits and hence is believed to be timely filed in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b). No fees are believed to be due in connection with filing of this Information Disclosure Statement. However, should any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be deemed necessary for any reason relating to these materials, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct said fees from Brinks Hofer Gilson & Lione Deposit Account No. 23-1925.

A copy of the foreign patent document is submitted herewith for the convenience of the Examiner. Since both references are in English, no statement of the relevance of the documents is being submitted. However, these documents were cited in a Search Report in a corresponding PCT application. A copy of that Search Report is included. The other references cited in the Search Report were cited in the previously filed Information Disclosure Statement.

Applicants respectfully request that the listed documents be made of record in the present case.

Respectfully submitted,

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